ANOTHER WOMAN POISONER.

MRS, DELIA SPAULDING WILL BE TRIED FOR MURDER.

Charged That She Administered Morphine to Charles Wilson and Caused His Death-Case Will Be Called on Monday.

Another woman will be placed on trial for her life next Monday in the criminal court on the charge of having taken human life with poison. She is Mrs. Delia Spaulding. E years old, colored, of 127 West Eighth street. It is charged that she polsoned, with morphine. Charles Wilson, & years old, white, formerly employed as rook at the Philadelphia house.

While there are no visions of "clouds pressing down" or forecasts of barn burning in this case, yet there is an element of mystery about it that will appeal to the morbidiy curious, and probably fill the criminal court room with large delegations from Belvidere and Hicks' bottoms. On December E. 189, Wilson went to the Spaulding home and drank two cans of beer with Mrs. Spaulding and Mrs. Aman da Neal, who occupies, with her husband, a portion of the Spaulding home. After eaving the house Wilson fell to the pavement, and Mrs. Spaulding went to the Secand precinct police station and had him taken to a cell for fear he might freeze on

This was about 5.30 o'clock in the afternoon. When the watches at the station changed it was discovered that Wilson was inconscious in his cell. He was taken to Central station, where Surgeon Landon Central station, where Surgeon Landon used the stemach pump, but without success. Wilson died that night. C. M. Wilkinson, a chemist, analyzed the contents of Wilson's stemach and found ten grains of morphine. Whan the police went to Mrs. Spaulding's home they asked her if she used morphine. She replied that she did and showed them a half filled two ounce bottle. She was immediately arrested for murder in the first degree. If she is convicted she will be sentenced to be hanged. Attorney I. B. Kimbrell will defend her.

DAMAGES CLAIMED.

The Metropolitan Has Another Suit in Its List, and \$1,500 Is Asked of a Biscuit Company.

Charles Sackewitz filed a damage suit for \$1,500 against the American Biscuit Manu-in dramatic form. Barrett's Richelleu facturing Company in the circuit court at lacked the finer shadings, but it soared mafacturing Company in the circuit court at Independence yesterday, as a result of injuries to his daughter Marguerite.

It is alleged that while the girl was employed on one of the floors of the building where employes were placing a supporting pillar, the pillar fell, striking the child across the back. It is claimed that her interies are nermanent.

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A. Haliam is the plaintiff in a damage suit directed against the Metropolitan rationary, filed yesterday. He asks \$2.99 damages for injuries received last November while alighting from a Summit street cable car. The car, he alleges, was started becar.

TRAIN ROBBERY AND MURDER. Criminal Court Fixes the Day for Two Important Cases-Sent Up

for Three Years. A number of criminal cases were set for trial yesterday by Judge Wofford. James Repine, Eugene Ridgeway, Ernest Ridgeway and Oscar Bridges, who are charged with attempting to rob the passengers of an electric car on the Independence line an electric car on the Independence line Thanksgiving evening will be tried April 5. The murder case against William Williams, the tough negro who shot an inoffensive German because he shouted "Hurrah for Bryan," will be called the same date. Charles Cadell withdrew his pieu of not guilty to the charge of burghry and larceny and said he was ready to be sentenced. He was given three years in the penitentiary.

THREATENED TO CARVE HER. One M. Wallace Alleges Some Very Bud Things of Her Husband

and Asks a Divorce. Mrs. Ona M. Wallace, through her attorney, yesterday filed suit for divorce from her husband. Dorr E. Wallace. She alleges that life with him was far from being "one grand, sweet song," and that he even pointed a revolver at her several times and threatened to shoot her. Once, she declares, he was about to chop her up with a butcher knife. She asks 'or the restoration of her maiden name, Ona M. Lowe.

Too Much Mother-in-Law.

L. H. Bell filed suit for divorce yester-day again his wife. Hannah. The plaintiff alleges that shortly after his marriage his mother-in-law came to live with them. He suggested, he says, that she go else-where, but his wife didn't concur, and the dove of peace flew out of the window. From the time of the appearance of the mother of his wife there was disquietude in the household.

Special Commissioner Named.

James G. Smart was yesterday appointed by Judge Slover to act as special commissioner to take testimony in the case of exSheriff John P. G.Neill, who has instituted suit against County Treasurer Thomas W. Brady and Jackson county to recover two checks which he had deposited to cover an alleged indebtedness to the county, which he says does not exist. The taking of testimony will begin to-day.

Coal and Ice Dealer Assigns. H. W. Manning, who has been for many years in the coal and ice business at 3615 East Pifteenth street, yesterday made a voluntary assignment for the protection of his creditors to D. C. Hackley, who keeps a cara stand in the court house. About ten men were thrown out of employment.

Mr. Bassett's Modest Bill. About one month ago a west bound cable train went dashing down the Ninth street hill, and instead of pausing at the Junction, continued westward and collided with a wason containing coal and Charles S. Hassett. The force of the collision spilled the coal, which fell on Bassett. Yesterday Rassett sued the cable company for \$5,000 damages.

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MUSIC AND THE DRAMA. *

Mr. Lewis Morrison is the best Richellen ow before the American public. It is within his power to become one of the greatest representatives of the cardinal known to the American stage. He played the part for the first time in this city at the Grand last night before a large and much interested audience. He was given discriminating applause and was repeatedly called before the curtain. There was no time during the entire performance when the actor was not impressive, and there were many times when he was impressive to a high degree.

Those who see Mr. Morrison in this play must be frequently reminded of Edwin Booth's portrayal. The present genera-tion remembers two great Richelleus—those. of Booth and Barrett. Booth's Richellen had all the subtle intellectuality, all the authoritative manner and all the graceful externals that anyone can gather from a iofty splendors that are unmistakably intended in Bulwer Lytton's representation

play. He speaks the lines with clear cut enunciation and analyzes with rare intelligences. He depicts the craftiness of the cardinal-king with a fine discernment. What he lacks is priestly austerity, magdiffernt repose, elements of greatness that must be present to make the depest posside impression. There is a suspicion that he has played the wheedling devil so long that

ble impression. There is a suspicion that he has played the wheedling devil so long that he cannot always shake off the conciliatory accents of his uttrance. There is nothing conciliatory about Richelten.

Mr. Morrison's company is in the main very effective in this pluy. Mr. Whittlesey is an excellent Mauprat. He makes the part virile, fervid and romantic Miss Roberts is surpassingly sweet as Julie, but she gives the character as much of womanly strength in the later scenes as she does of girlish ingenuousness in the first act. Mr. Johnstone lacks the convincing quality in his Baradas. A particularly well carried part is the Francois of Miss Bartelle, and Miss Lillian Armsby, in the very limited role of Marion de Loune, does some of the prettiest by-play seen in many a day. Mr. Trimble is satisfactory as Joseph. The same bill will be repeated this afternoon. The engagement will close to-night with a repetition of "Faust."

AUSTIN LATCHAW.

The last performances of "Hendrick Hudson, Jr.," will be given at the Ninth Street opera house this afternoon and to-night. The production is one of the most beautiful in which popular Corinne has ever appeared, and she has better support ever appeared, and she has b than she has ever had before.

Next week's attractions are particularly strong. At the Auditorium, Fanny Daven-port, who is making her last tour in the Sardou plays, will be seen in three of these masterpieces of dramatic construction, all of which will be staged with great care, notably "Gismonda."

At the Coates James O'Neill will be seen in three of his strongest bills—"Monte Cristo," "The Courier of Lyons" and "Vir-ginius." There seems to be no cessation in the popularity of the Dumas play, which Mr. O'Neill has kept before the public so many years.

A particularly strong company will sup-port John E. Henshaw at the Grand next week, when he will be seen in "Dodge at the French Ball."

A great deal is promised in "Shooting the Chutes," the new farce comedy that will open a week's engagement at the Ninth Street to-morrow afternoon.

The last of the series of Sunday concerts by the Philharmonic orchestra will be giv-en at the Academy of Music to-morrow

New York, Feb. 12.-Jean de Reszke this morning received a cable message from Mmc. Melba, who is in Paris. She states that she will return to America the latter part of this month, and sends sympatheti words apropos Castlemary's death. It is now believed Melba will appear in Chicago

Antony's Funeral Oration.

Professor S. H. Clark, teacher of elocution in the Chicago university, will give an address and a reading before the pupils of the Kansas City School of Oratory this afternoon at 2 o'clock, February 13. Mr. Clark will make an analysis of Mark Antony's funeral oration at this time. The friends of the school are invited to be present.

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At the First Cumberland Presbyterian church, corner Thirteenth and Oak streets, in evangelical services under the leadership of Evangelist Mrs. Edith L. Peake. Sabbath school in Second church at the usual hour. The regular monthly meeting of the Eptourh street.

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At the First Cumberland Presbyterian the pastor, Rev. E. N. Allen, will preach slanday morning and evening: morning subject, "Pair's Journey to Damascus"; evening at 7:20, "The One Thing Needful."

Falestine illustrated by maps at the Westport Methodist Church, Fortieth and Washington streets, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; evening services, 7:5. Strangers welcome; seats free, Charles W. Moore, Pastor.

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Mrs. Peake, will continue every afternoon and evening next week.

Grand Avenue Methodist Episcopal church—The pastor, Dr. Mitchell, will preach at 11 a. m. on "The Chamber of Reflection," and at 7:45 p. m. on "The Right Use of Our Wits."

Gospel hall, 1019 Walnut street—Sunday at 10:30, Acts xx:7: 3:00 p. m., Sunday school; 7:45 p. m., preaching, All are invited.

in memory of the late Joseph Baldwin, at 7:39 p. m. the pastor, I. F. Roach, will preach on the subject, "The Gospel of Illumination."

The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christic Church of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christic Church (224 Wabasia average, commencing Sunday at 5. Edier Preaching every evening, and at 5. Edier Preaching every evening, and at 5. Edier Arthur J. Davis, of Kansas, will be the speaker. All are incident of the speaker at ling and hold fast to that will be the speaker. All are incident of the speaker of the services at its hall, 1818 Grand avenue, on Sunday at 7:30 p. m., conducted by Rev. Dr. Denalow, who speaks while in a complete trance. Seats free. St. Paul's Reformed church, 1828 Central street—Rev. J. W. Love. D. D. pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. on "Churse Labor, and at 7:45 p. m. on "Running a race." Sunday at 7:36 p. m. on "Running a race." Sunday at 7:36 p. m. on "Running a race." Sunday at 7:46 p. m. on "Running a race." Sunday at 7:46 p. m. on "Running a race." Sunday at 7:46 p. m. on "Running a race." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m.

All members of the United Brethren church are requested to meet in the parior church Y. M. C. A., Wednesday evening. February 17.

Linwood Presbyterian church—Rev. J. A. P. McGaw, pastor. Subject of morning sermon, "A Penitent's Prayer," evening. "What Presbyterians Belleve."

The Gospel Witness, at 128 East Twelfth street—The pastor, J. S. Detwier, will conduct the services and preach as follows; "What Presbyterians Belleve."

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